

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant : Mark J. Dickelman *et al.*  
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Customer No. : 70813

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**AMENDMENT**

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In response to the Office Action dated December 24, 2008, please enter the following  
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